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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	:	Ralph James	Attorney Docket No.:	501328.01
Serial No.	:	10/695,383	Confirmation No.:	5301
Filed	:	October 27, 2003	Group Art Unit:	2188
Allowed	:	June 2, 2006	Examiner:	Craig E. Walter
Title	:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING A LEARNING SEQUENCE TO ESTABLISH COMMUNICATIONS ON A HIGH-SPEED NONSYNCHRONOUS INTERFACE IN THE ABSENCE OF CLOCK FORWARDING		

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PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE (37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2)) TO PERMIT
CONSIDERATION OF AN INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT (37 C.F.R. § 1.97)
IN A REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2), Applicant hereby petitions the Office that the above-identified application be withdrawn from issue to permit consideration of an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 in the Request for Continued Examination (37 C.F.R. § 1.114) filed herewith. This application was allowed on June 2, 2006, and the issue fee was paid on August 23, 2006.

Applicant requests that the application be withdrawn from issue in favor of the Request for Continued Examination filed herewith. Applicant requests that the Office grant this Petition and consider the Request for Continued Examination and Information Disclosure Statement filed concurrent herewith.

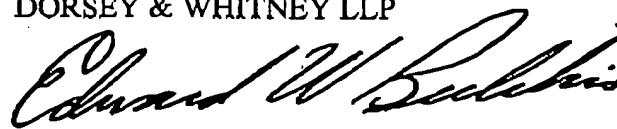
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fee(s) of \$920, in accordance with CFR 1.17(e), to Deposit Account No. 50-1266. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fee associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1266. A copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP



Edward W. Bulchis
Registration No. 26,847

Enclosures:

Fee Transmittal Sheet (+copy)
Copy of this Petition
Request for Continued Examination (+ copy)
Information Disclosure Statement
PTO Form 1449

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COMMENTS:

Attached, please find our Petition for Withdrawal from Issue, Request for Continued Examination, IDS and Form PTO-1449. Also included is a Fee Transmittal Sheet authorizing the Commissioner to charge the required fee(s). This application does have an issuance date of Tuesday, November 14, 2006.

I will be calling on Monday to ensure receipt of this petition and withdrawal of the application.

Thank you.

Effective on 12/08/04

FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET (FY 2006)

Applicant claims small entity status (see 37 C.F.R. 1.27)

METHOD OF PAYMENT (Check One)

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 and 1.136(a)(3) and credit any over payments to Deposit Account No. 50-1266; Deposit Account Name: DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP.

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Extra Claim Fees				
Current Claims	Prior	Extra	Fee	Fee Paid
Total	20	=	x \$	= \$
Ind.	9	=	x \$	= \$
Multiple Dependent Claims		x	\$	= \$
			Subtotal (Extra Claims)	\$0

Petition Fee Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), & (h)

Enclosed is a Petition filed under 37 CFR as indicated below:

Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(f) Fee \$400

§ 1.53(e) to accord a filing date.
 § 1.57(a) to accord a filing date.
 § 1.182 for decision on a question not provided for.
 § 1.183 to suspend the rules.
 § 1.378(e) for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing delayed payment of maintenance fee in expired patent.
 § 1.174(b) to accord a filing date to an application under § 1.740 for extension of patent term.

Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(g) Fee \$200

§ 1.12 for access to an assignment record.
 § 1.14 for access to an application.
 § 1.47 for filing by other than all inventors or person not the inventor.
 § 1.59 for expungement of information.
 § 1.103(a) to suspend action in an application.
 § 1.136(b) for review of a request for ext. of time when § 1.136(a) not avail.
 § 1.295 for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration.
 § 1.296 to withdraw a req. for pub. after notice of intent to publish issued.
 § 1.377 for review of decision refusing to accept a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.
 § 1.550(c) for request for ext. of time in *ex parte* reexam. proceedings.
 § 1.956 for request for ext. of time in *ex parte* reexam. proceedings.
 § 5.12 for expedited handling of foreign filing license.
 § 5.15 for changing the scope of a license.
 § 1.525 for retroactive license.

Petition Fee under 37 CFR 1.17(h) Fee \$130

§ 1.19(g) to request documents in a form other than provided in this part.
 § 1.84 for accepting color drawings or photographs.
 § 1.91 for entry of a model or exhibit.
 § 1.102(d) to make an application special.
 § 1.138(c) to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.
 § 1.313 to withdraw an application from issue.
 § 1.314 to defer issuance of a patent.

Submitted by:

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Complete If Known			
Application No.	10/695,383	FAX RECEIVED	
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First Inventor	Ralph James	OFFICE OF PETITIONS	
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FEE CALCULATION (Continued)			
3. ADDITIONAL FEES			
Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee paid
50	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	\$
130	65	Surcharge - Late nonprovisional filing fee or oath	\$
180	180	Submission of IDS	\$
40	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	\$
120	60	Extension for reply within first month	\$
450	225	Extension for reply within second month	\$
1,020	510	Extension for reply within third month	\$
1,590	795	Extension for reply within fourth month	\$
2,160	1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	\$
790	395	Submission After Final 1.129	\$
500	250	Notice of Appeal	\$
500	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	\$
1,000	600	Request for oral hearing	\$
130	65	Terminal Disclaimer Fee	\$
800	400	Design Issue Fee	\$
790	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	\$790
130		Request for voluntary publication or republication	\$
500	250	Petition to Revive - unavoidable	\$
1,500	750	Petition to Revive - unintentional	\$
200		Filing for patent term adjustment	\$
400		Request for reinstatement of term reduced	\$
1,120		Extension of term of patent	\$
OTHER FEE (specify)		Subtotal (Additional Fees)	
		\$790	
Total Amount of Payment: \$920			